# **EXHIBIT 1**





#### **Verification Certificate**

#### SECRETARY OF STATE STATE OF WASHINGTON

issued by the member company of The Hartford This is to certify that Bond No. subscribing this certificate, dated January 14, 2021 in the amount of Five Million Four Hundred Forty-Nine Thousand Dollars \$5,449,000.00 , as Principal, on behalf of STATE OF WASHINGTON STATE OF WASHINGTON , as Obligee, and in favor of , and ends with the cancellation of covers an indefinite term which began on January 14, 2021

said bond; that said bond is now in full force and effect and will continue in full force and effect until cancelled.

ANNIVERSARY PREMIUM PERIOD: January 14, 2021 - January 14, 2025

Signed, Sealed, and Dated November 25, 2020

Attest or Witness Shelly Wiggins	Surety		
Stutty Widens	Hartford Fire Insurance Company		
	By: (Seal)		
	Amy Jo Francis , Attorney in fact		

CC:

CC:



Direct Inquiries/Claims to: THE HARTFORD BOND, T-11 One Hartford Plaza Hartford, Connecticut 06155 Bond.Claims@thehartford.com

call: 888-266-3488 or fax: 860-757-5835

### POWER OF ATTORNI

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS THAT

RSONS BY THESE PRESENTS THAT:	Agency Name: ALLIANT INSURANCE SERVICES INC Agency Code: 52-812173			
Hartford Fire Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized	under the laws of the State of Connecticut			
Hartford Casualty Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana				
Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut				
Hartford Underwriters Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut				
Twin City Fire Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana				
Hartford Insurance Company of Illinois, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Illinois				
Hartford Insurance Company of the Midwest, a corporation du	ly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana			

having their home office in Hartford, Connecticut (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Companies") do hereby make, constitute and appoint Amy Jo Francis

Hartford Insurance Company of the Southeast, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Florida

of Lake Mary, Florida,

its true and lawful Attorney-in-Fact, to sign its name as surety(ies) only as delineated above by , and to execute, seal and acknowledge the following bond, undertaking, contract or written instrument:

Bond No. 52BSBDH7388

Naming STATE OF WASHINGTON as Principal,

and STATE OF WASHINGTON as Obligee,

in the amount of See Bond Form(s) on behalf of Company in its business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons, guaranteeing the performance of contracts and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in any actions or proceedings allowed by law.

In Witness Whereof, and as authorized by a Resolution of the Board of Directors of the Companies on May 23, 2016 the Companies have caused these presents to be signed by its Assistant Vice President and its corporate seals to be hereto affixed, duly attested by its Assistant Secretary. Further, pursuant to Resolution of the Board of Directors of the Companies, the Companies hereby unambiguously affirm that they are and will be bound by any mechanically applied signatures applied to this Power of Attorney.



Shelby Wiggins, Assistant Secretary



Joelle L. LaPierre, Assistant Vice President

STATE OF FLORIDA

**COUNTY OF SEMINOLE** 

Lake Marv

On this 13th day of February, 2020, before me personally came Joelle LaPierre, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that (s)he resides in Seminole County, State of Florida; that (s)he is the Assistant Vice President of the Companies, the corporations described in and which executed the above instrument; that (s)he knows the seals of the said corporations; that the seals affixed to the said instrument are such corporate seals; that they were so affixed by authority of the Boards of Directors of said corporations and that (s)he signed his/her name thereto by like authority.



Jessica Noelle Ciccone My Commission #GG077453

Expires June 20, 2021

I, the undersigned, Assistant Vice President of the Companies, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, which is still in full force effective as of November 25, 2020.

Signed and sealed in Lake Mary, Florida.











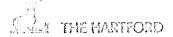




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Keith D. Dozois, Assistant Vice President

SECRETARY OF STATE STATE OF WASHINGTON #: 7377



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FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE POSITION SCHEDULE WITH AUTOMATIC COVERAGE

THE HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDENNITY COMPANY, of Hartford, Connecticut, (hereinafter (hereinafter called the Surety), binds itself to pay The State of Washington called the Employer), such pecuniary loss as the latter shall have sustained of money or other personal property (including that for which the Employer is responsible) through any PAILURE OF OFFICIAL DUTY, WHETHER OF OMISSION OR COMPUSSION in the United States by any of the Employees occupying the positions now named in or hereafter added to the schedule attached hereto and which is hereby wade a part of this bond. The coverage for each position begins on the date indicated in the schedule, acceptance notice or renewal list, as the case may be, and continues until terminated as hereinafter provided.

PROVIDED:

FIRST: That the Employer shall have the right to add:

a. Additional positions of the same designation as any position named in the schedule or in any written acceptance of the Surety and such additional positions shall be added to the schedule as of the date of creation thereof, and in the amount set opposite the positions so named in said schedule or such acceptance notice. Said coverage shall continue automatically for a period of 90 days, but only after that period by written request of the Employer and the written acceptance of the Surety. Such coverage shall be null and void from the beginning unless the Surety is notified of such newly created positions within 90 days after the creation thereof.

If the Employer desires to increase or decrease the amount of coverage in respect to any position named in the schedule, or in any acceptance notice, he shall give written notice to the Surety of his desire in this respect. The Surety shall, if it elects so to do, increase said coverage accordingly by its written acceptance. Any decrease, however, shall be binding as of date specified by Employer.

b. Any new position of a different designation from any position named in the schedule or in any written acceptance of the Surety and such positions may be automatically added to such schedule in any amount not exceeding Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars from the date of creation thereof for a period of 90 days, but such coverage shall only be continued after the 90 day period at the written request of the Employer and the written acceptance thereof of the Surety. Such coverage shall be null and void from the beginning unless the Surety is notified of such newly created positions within 90 days after the creation thereof. If the Employer desires to add to the schedule in a greater amount than Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars any new position of a different designation from that named in the schedule or in any written acceptance of the Surety, he shall give written notice to the Surety of his desire in this respect and the Surety shall, if it elects so to do, grant said addition to the schedule by its written acceptance.

SECOND: The Employer shall keep, or cause to be kept, an accurate record of any and all new positions created and of any and all additional positions added to said schedule bearing the same designation of any named herein, showing the name of the occupant, the date of employment in said position and the period of incumbency, if such period shall have been less than 90 day automatic coverage granted hereunder, and (when requested) the Employer shall furnish to the Surety, within the 90 day automatic coverage period, the Surety's application form completed and signed by said Employee.

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SECRETARY OF STATE STATE OF WASHINGTON Hartford Fire Insurance Company
Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company
Hartford Casualty Insurance Company
Hartford Casualty Insurance Company

THIRD: The Employer undertakes and agrees to furnish the Surety on each premium anniversary date hereof a statement specifying the number of positions to be covered, the number of persons occupying each position, and the amount of coverage required for each position.

FOURTH: The total liability of the Surety on account of any Employee, though he may have occupied more than one position, shall not exceed the largest amount of coverage on any one position occupied by him.

FIFTH: If a loss occurs hereunder through any Employee in excess of the coverage of Surety on such Employees, any recovery thereof by the Employer shall revert to the Employer for the loss sustained in excess of the amount of said Suretyship, the balance, if any, to be paid to the Surety; and likewise, the amount of any recovery that may be made by the Surety except from reinsurance, other Suretyship, collateral, or third party indemnity, (less the expenses incurred by the Surety in making such recovery), shall revert to the Employer for the loss sustained in excess of the amount of said coverage, the balance, if any, belonging to the Surety.

SIXTH: This Bond shall terminate:

- a. As to any Employee immediately upon the discovery of any default on his part, upon his death or retirement from the service of the Employer, or thirty days after the Employer receives written notice from the Surety that the latter desires so to terminate.
- b. As to any position or as a whole upon the date the Surety receives written notice from the Employer of its desire so to terminate, or thirty days after the Employer receives written notice from the Surety that the latter desires so to terminate.

When bond is terminated as provided above, the Surety shall refund any unearned premium, but the premium received for Suretyship upon which a claim is paid shall be fully earned.

It is understood and agreed that the obligee shall have the right to add to the schedule any position inadvertently omitted, in which event coverage shall be effective as of, and premium payable from, the effective date hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, THE HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY, has caused this bond to be signed and its corporate seal to be affixed by its proper officer duly appointed for the purpose, this 14th day of January, 1985

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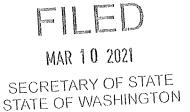
SECRETARY OF STATE STATE OF WASHINGTON

HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY

Fred Jerome,

Attorney-in-fact

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Bond No.: 5060380

Premium: \$42,514.00 - 4 yrs.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that ... Hartford Fire Insurance Company..... a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Correction of Hantford.....(hereinafter called the Company), in consideration of an agreed premium, is held and firmly bound unto the State of Washington

(hereinafter called the Employer), in the respective penal sums of money appearing opposite the names of various officials and employees listed on the attached schedule, for which payment, well and truly to be made, the Company binds itself, its successors and assigns, firmly by these presents.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH THAT

WHEREAS the various officials and employees whose names appear upon the attached schedule have been duly elected or appointed to the respective offices in the State of Washington

appearing opposite their names in said schedule.

NOW, THEREFORE, if each of the said officials and employees shall for the term beginning January 14, 1993 faithfully perform the duties of his said office as required by law, then this obligation shall be void: otherwise it shall remain in full force and effect.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that this undertaking is executed by the Company upon the following express conditions, which shall be conditions precedent to the right of recovery hereunder:

- (1) The liability of the Company on account of any one official or employee shall not exceed the amount set opposite the official's or employee's name in said schedule. The Employer may, during the continuance of this undertaking, add other officials or employees to said schedule, or increase or decrease the amount of this undertaking in respect to any official or employee by giving written notice to the Company, but such notice shall not be binding on the Company until the Employer has received the Company's written acceptance thereof. In the event of such increase or decrease, the Company's liability as respects such official or employee shall not exceed the schedule amount in effect as to such official or employee when the act of such official or employee, in respect to which claim is made, shall have been committed. The Company's liability shall in no event exceed the maximum amount at any time in effect in said schedule as to such official or employee.
  - (2) This undertaking as respects any or all officials or employees may be cancelled:
    - (a) By the Company, after giving thirty (30) days notice of cancellation to the Employer, in writing, of its desire so to cancel;
    - (b) By the Employer, by giving notice to the Company, in writing, of the Employer's desire so to cancel;

the Company remaining liable, however, subject to the terms, conditions and provisions hereof for any act or acts covered hereby which may have been committed prior to the date of such cancellation. In the event of such cancellation, the Company shall refund the pro rata unearned premium, if any, but the whole year's premium for the premium year within which such cancellation takes place shall be considered as fully earned for any official or employee whose acts or omissions are made the basis of a claim hereunder.

5060380 Effective January 14, 1985 Issued by Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company; The Cancellations to be Effective at the time this Policy becomes Effective. Also, by acceptance of this Policy you agree to the substitution of Hartford Fire Insurance Company as "Company" shown above.

its hand and seal this .......27th........day of .....January...1993......

By P.M. Sympton/ R. M Symplon, Aftorney-in-Fact

Hartford Fire Insurance Company

Form S-3714-1 Printed in U.S.A.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

ion by these Presents, That the HARTFORL corporation duly organized un a laws of the State of Connecticut, and having its pri County of Hanford, State of Connecticut, does hereby make, constitute and appoint

INSURANCE COMPANY. i office in the City of Hartford.

ROGER D. WYMAN, JANICE COOK, ROBERT L. ROSS, H. H. THONSEN, R. H. SYNOLON, GLORIA B. HOSTAJO, PATRICIA G. HELVIN, EDITH BOQUIREN, C. A. CLAUDIO, HELINDA THOMAS AND LUZVIMINDA L. NOCOS OF SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

its true and lawful Attomey(s)-in-Fact, with full power and authority to each of said Attomey(s)-in-Fact, in their separate capacity if more than one is named above, to sign, execute and acknowledge any and all bonds and undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof on behalf of the Company in its business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons holding places of public or private trust; guaranteeing the performance of contracts other than insurance policies; guaranteeing the performance of insurance contracts where surely bonds are accepted by states and municipalities, and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in all actions or proceedings or by law allowed.

and to bind the HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such bonds and undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof were signed by an Executive Officer of the HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY and sealed and attested by one other of such Officers, and hereby ratifies and confirms all that its said Attorney(s)-in-Fact may do in pursuance hereof.

This power of attorney is granted by and under authority of the following provisions:

(1) By-Laws adopted by the Stockholders of the HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY at a meeting duly called and held on the 9th day of March, 1971.

#### ARTYCLE IV

SECTION 8. The President or any Vice-President, using with any Secretary or Assistant Secretary, shall have power and authority to account, for been only of executing and sitesting bonds and undertakings and other mitings obliquatory in the nature thereof, one or more Resident Vice-Presidents, seen Assistant Secretary Secretaries and Judicing and End and all the terrors are such Resident Vice-President, Resident Assistant Secretary, or negative and revoke the power and surface for the terrors are such Resident Vice-President, Resident Assistant Secretary, or negative and revoke the power and surfacely given to here.

SECTION 11. Attempts—in-fact small here power and authority, subject to the terms and immations of the power of attorney leased to them, to associate and deliver on behalf of the Company and to attach the seal of the Company three any and all bonds and understangs, and other writings are deliver on behalf of the Company and the terms and other writings obtained to the company in the nature thereof, and any such naturement executed by any puch attachment in the nature three company as it signed by an Executive Official and seaded and attached by one other of such Officials.

(2) Excerpt from the Minutes of a meeting of the Board of Directors of the HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY duly called and held on the 12th day of October, 1990.

RESOLVED: Robert N. H. Sener, Assistant Vos-President and Laura A. Shanshan, Assistant Vos-President, shall each have, as long as each holds such office, the same power as any Vos-President under Sections 8.1 and 8 of Anticle N of the By-Laws of the Company, namely; to appoint by a Power such office, the same power as any Vos-President under Sections 2.1 and 8 of Anticle N of the By-Laws of the Company, namely; to appoint by a Power of Antonney, for purpose only of executing and statesting bonds and understands and other withings obligationy in the nature thereof, one or more resident Vos-Presidents, response Assistant Secretaries and Altomeya-in-Fact.

This power of attorney is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following Resolution adopted by the Directors of the MARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY at a meeting duty called and held on the 12th day of October, 1990.

RESOLVED, that the signatures of such Officers and the seel of the Company may be affixed to any such power of attorney or to any certificate relating thereto by inclamés, and any such power of attorney or certificate bearing such accomise appearate or faccismise seel shall be valid and briding such in a Company and any such power to seconded and certified by faccismide adjustures and faccismise seel shall be valid and briding upon the Company in the Nazar with respect to any bond or undertaking so which it is stacehed.

In Witness Whereof, the HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its Assistant Vice-President, and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed, duly attested by its Secretary, this 1st day of May, 1991.

HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

Attest

35.

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

COUNTY OF HARTFORD

On this 1st day of May, A.D. 1991, before me personally came Robert N. H. Sener, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the County of Harrford, State of Connecticut; that he is the Assistant Vice-President of the HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of the said corporation; that the seal affixed to the said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation and that he signed his name therapt by title order. thereto by like order.

STATE OF CONNECTICUT COUNTY OF HARTFORD

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Jean H. Wozniak Notary Aublic hission Expires March 31, 1994

CERTIFICATE

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I, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary of the HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, a Connecticut Corporation, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing and attached POWER OF ATTORNEY remains in full force and has not been revoked; and furthermore, that the Resolutions of the Board of Directors, set forth in the Power of Attorney, are now in force. Dated the 27th

Signed and sealed at the City of Hartford.

day of January

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SECRETARY OF STATE STATE OF WASHINGTON #: 7381



#### SECRETARY OF STATE STATE OF WASHINGTON

Form GENCNG (Rev. 02/04/03)



#### RIDER

Attached to and forming part of Bond # 52	BSBDH7388 ,			
effective January 14, 2005				
on behalf of STATE OF WASHINGTON				
Of Dept. of General Admin., Div. of Risk M	snagement, 9. C. Box 41027, Olympia, WA 98504-1027			
in favor of state of Washington				
and in the amount of Five Million Sixty-E	ight Thousand \$5,069,000 Dollars.			
It is understood and agreed that effective 2	January 14, 2005			
the Bond Number	shall be changed			
from Old Bond Number - 52RM 060380				
to New Bond Number - 52BSSDH7388				
All other conditions and terms remain as o				
Ву:	Hartford Fire Insurance Company  Sylvia Whitman, Attorney-in-Fact			
The above endorsement is hereby agreed t	o and accepted:			
Ву:				

### POWER OF ATTORNEY

Direct Inquiries/Claims to:

THE HARTFORD BOND, T-4 690 ASYLUM AVENUE HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT 06115 call: 888-266-3488 or fax: 860-757-5835)

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS THAT: Hartford Fire Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut Hartford Casualty Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut Hartford Underwriters Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut Twin City Fire Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana Hartford Insurance Company of Illinois, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Illinois Hartford Insurance Company of the Midwest, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana Hartford Insurance Company of the Southeast, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Florida having their home office in Hartford, Connecticut (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Companios") do hereby make, constitute and appoint, up to the amount of UNLIMITED DARRY CHRISTIANSON, SCOTT C. ALDERMAN, LINDA BEESLEY, BLIZABETH J. BOTTEMILLER, JIM BELL, SYLVIA WHITMAN, JOHN A. BECKERLEG, JAMES W. CAMPBELL OF SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, each in their separate capacity if more than one is named above, to sign its name as surety(ies) only as delineated above by 🔯, and to execute, seal and acknowledge any and all bonds, undertakings, contracts and other written instruments in the nature thereof, on behalf of the Companies in their business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons, guaranteeing the performance of contracts and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in any actions or proceedings allowed by law.

In Witness Whereof, and as authorized by a Resolution of the Board of Directors of the Companies on July 21, 2003, the Companies have caused these presents to be signed by its Assistant Vice President and its corporate seals to be hereto affixed, duly attested by its Assistant Secretary. Further, pursuant to Resolution of the Board of Directors of the Companies, the Companies hereby unambiguously affirm that they are and will be bound by any mechanically applied signatures applied to this Power of Attorney.



STATE OF CONNECTICUT

Hartford

SS. COUNTY OF HARTFORD

On 23rd day of July, 2003, before me personally came David T. Akers, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he resides in the County of Hampden, Commonwealth of Massachusetts; that he is the Assistant Vice President of the Companies, the ocrporations described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seals of the said corporations; that he seals affixed to the said instrument are such corporate seals; that they were so affixed by authority of the Boards of Directors of said corporations and that he signed his name thereto by like authority.

CERTIFICATE

Scott E. Paseku

My Commission Expires October 21, 2007

I, the undersigned, Assistant Vice President of the Companies, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a true and correct the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, which is still in full force effective as of February 2, 2005 Signed and sealed at the City of Hartford

















Gary W. Stumper, Assistant Vice President

POA 2004

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SECRETARY OF STATE STATE OF WASHINGTON

and Claims to:

THE HARTFORD **BOND, T-14** 

#### One Hartford Plaza Hartford, Connecticut 06155

Bond.Claims@thehartford.com call: 888-266-3488 or fax: 860-757-5835

## POWER OF ATTORNE

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Agency Name:	ALLIANT	INSURANCE	SERVICES	INC
Agency Code:	52-81217	73		

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Naming STATE OF WASHINGTON as Principal,

and STATE OF WASHINGTON as Obligee,

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Joelle L. LaPlerre, Assistant Vice President

Thyeis A. Elas

Phyllis A. Clark, Assistant Secretary

STATE OF FLORIDA

ss. Lake Mary

**COUNTY OF SEMINOLE** 

On this 1st day of March, 2024, before me personally came Joelle L. LaPierre, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that (s)he resides in Seminole County, State of Florida, that (s)he is the Assistant Vice President of the Companies, the corporations described in and which executed the above instrument; that (s)he knows the seals of the said corporations; that the seals affixed to the said instrument are such corporate seals; that they were so affixed by authority of the Boards of Directors of said corporations and that (s)he signed his/her name thereto by like authority.

> My Commission HH 287363 Expires July 13, 2026

I, the undersigned, Assistant Vice President of the Companies, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, which is still in full force effective as of December 23, 2024.

Signed and sealed in Lake Mary, Florida.









Keth Gogois Keith D. Dozois, Assistant Vice President



#### **Verification Certificate**

issued by the member company of The Hartford This is to certify that Bond No. 52BSBDH7388 subscribing this certificate, dated January 14, 2025

in the amount of Six Million One Hundred Eighty-Nine Thousand Dollars

\$6,189,000.00

on behalf of STATE OF WASHINGTON

, as Principal,

STATE OF WASHINGTON and in favor of

, as Obligee,

covers an indefinite term which began on January 14, 2025 , and ends with the cancellation of

said bond; that said bond is now in full force and effect and will continue in full force and effect until cancelled.

ANNIVERSARY PREMIUM PERIOD: January 14, 2025 - January 14, 2029

Signed, Sealed, and Dated December 23, 2024

Attest or Witness

Shelpy Wiggins

Surety

, Attorney in fact of L LaPierre